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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **J. Richard Hanna, et al.**

Application No.: **09/408,858** Art Unit: **2876**
Filed: **September 30, 1999** Examiner: **Jared J. Fureman**
Title: **Automated Merchant Banking Apparatus and Method**
Confirmation No.: **4536**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES
(37 C.F.R. 1.191)**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed June 26, 2002, rejecting claims 1-30.

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

Other than a small entity \$320.00

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3. EXTENSION OF TERM

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R.1.136 apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

4. TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:
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5. FEE PAYMENT

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6. FEE DEFICIENCY

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is a request therefor and to charge Account No. 09-0428 (Interbold).

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